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Applicant

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Title

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AND AG OR AG ALLOYS WITH CU

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MAIL STOP PETITIONS

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION TO MAKE SPECIAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.102(c)

SIR:

Applicants, through their attorneys, requests that the attached application be accorded "special" status for the reason set forth below.

- That the above-identified patent application and invention involves superconductive materials.
- 2. Enclosed is a Declaration of applicants in support of the Petition.

No petition fee is due.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge against or credit to Deposit Account No. 05-1060 any and all fees or credits associated with this Petition. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.

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PETITION GRANTED

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